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ANTI-IDIOTYPIC ANTIBODIES OF
VASCULAR ENDOTHELIAL GROWTH
FACTOR AND USE THEREOF AS DRUGS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The undersigned hereby petitions for an extension of time to respond to the Official Action of March 12, 2001, for one month to July 12, 2001.

Please charge the extension fee of \$110 to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. If this fee is insufficient, the Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension fee to Deposit Account No. 25-0120. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

A responsive paper is filed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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